

**Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116
- Expedited Examining Procedure -
Examining Group 2625**

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In re Application of:

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DOCUMENT SCANNING SYSTEM WITH
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In response to the final Office Action mailed on September 3, 2008, please consider the remarks as follows.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.